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## POISON HID IN CAPSULE BY MURDERER OF GIRL TO LEAVE NO EVIDENCE

### Second Examination of Avis Linnell's Coffin Fails to Reveal Container of Fatal Dose of Cyanide of Potassium.

(Special from a Staff Correspondent of The Evening World.)  
BOSTON, Oct. 25.—The re-examination of the casket in which the body of poisoned Avis Linnell was buried having established that no poison container was buried with her, the State authorities are seeking to prove that the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, the accused Baptist preacher, gave the choir singer the deadly drug in a gelatine capsule.

This theory was first propounded by the experts who sought for an explanation of how it happened that the young girl lingered twenty-five minutes in death agony, after swallowing a dose of poison sufficient to kill several persons almost instantly. That is, death would have occurred instantly if the poison had been taken in solution. It would have come swiftly if the poison had been taken in crystals or powder.

Pastor Richeson bought fifteen grains of cyanide in crystals from Druggist Hahn of Newmarket, N.H. The drug was contained in a small phial, to prevent contact with moisture. Cyanide crystals would soon melt in a pillbox and dissolve into the paper of the box.

The same effect would occur in case the cyanide was packed in a capsule and exposed to the air for ten hours.

But the State's case against Richeson is that less than eight hours elapsed from the time the murdered girl met the clergyman and received from him the "medicine" that killed her. During that time the drug may have lost some of its strength, but unless it had been placed in a very warm place the capsule would not have melted.

**CAPSULES COULD EASILY HAVE BEEN SUBSTITUTED.**

For the past few days detectives have been fine-combing Boston and its suburbs for evidence that the Rev. Richeson bought empty capsules, or capsules containing some harmless drug. A four or five-grain quinine capsule would have served the purpose. While this search resembles the desperate method of hunting the lost needle in a haystack, the police will continue at it until every drug store within twenty-five miles of Boston has been canvassed.

Taking a capsule containing cyanide less than an hour after dining, it would have needed at least five or ten minutes before any effects from the poison would have been felt. Then the destroying drug would have continued to slowly work its ruin.

The body of Avis Linnell was returned to the little village churchyard at Hyannis today, following the opening of the casket in the City Hospital at midnight. The casket and the clothing it contained were searched for a poison container, and when none was found the coffin was sealed again and shipped to Hyannis.

When court opened to-day Judge Murray announced to attorneys representing the defense and the District Attorney's office that he had not reached any decision on Attorney Dunbar's petition to allow experts for the defense to be present at any second autopsy on the body of Miss Linnell, should one be performed.

District Attorney Bulger said that Medical Examiner Leary had retained additional organs "for the purpose of eliminating the possibility that any

**HORSE THROWS HELEN TAFT AS SHE FOLLOWS HOUNDS.**

President's Daughter Escapes Injury and Shows Pluck by Remounting.

IPSWICH, Mass., Oct. 25.—Helen Taft, daughter of the President, was thrown from her horse while following the Myopia Hunt Club's hounds through Topfield and Rowley, but was unhurt. The accident occurred yesterday afternoon, but news of the fall was suppressed until today for fear it would alarm Mrs. Taft.

Miss Taft landed on her feet and pluckily remounted to resume the run.

Manufacturer Kraft lives on Stairs. Henry Kraft, forty years old, of the manufacturing firm of Theodore Kraft & Co., at No. 45 West Broadway, died suddenly on the stairway of the factory to-day. He had been ailing for some time. He had reached the first landing, when he cried out and fell backward. The body was taken to the Macdougal street station and members of his family notified.

## BIG CROWDS RUSH TO RIVER FRONT TO SEE BATTLESHIPS

### Grim Sea Fighters Make the Greatest Show Since Hudson-Fulton Fete.

### MORE DUE TO-MORROW.

### When All Arrive There Will Be 102 Vessels in the Long Line.

Who says New York does not appreciate a free show? Any person so testifying may be undeceived to-day by a visit to Riverside Drive at any point from Seventy-ninth street out to where the great viaduct spans Manhattan Valley. The greatest free exhibition ever devised is now in process of formation along the North River in the stretch mentioned, and the first act, as it were, is made up of fourteen gray, ominous looking battleships, the fighting masts of which give the observer an impression of a view of the oil fields of Pennsylvania or Ohio.

Riverside Drive and Park have not seen such a crowd since the Hudson-Fulton celebration as thronged the leaf-strewn walks to-day. What the crowd will be when the fourteen battleships are reinforced by half a dozen others and sufficient vessels of other classes to make the number of war craft in the river 102, is a problem that is up to the police.

From where the flagship Connecticut rests off the Columbia Yacht Club an

## BARNES FIGHTS ALBANY PROBE; IS IN CONTEMPT

### Defies Head of Senate Board and Refuses to Yield Information on His Affairs.

### MUST SHOW HIS BOOKS.

### Leader's "Private Affairs" Claim Does Not Stand—To Call Anthony N. Brady.

ALBANY, Oct. 25.—After repeated refusals to answer inquiries concerning the ownership of stock in the Journal Company of Albany, of which he is president, William Barnes Jr., Chairman of the Republican State Committee, in effect was declared in contempt to-day by the Senate Committee which is investigating Albany city and county affairs. Mr. Barnes maintained that the business of the Journal Company was a private matter and not pertinent to the present inquiry, with the exception of its transactions with the city and county of Albany, the records of which, he said, were on file with the proper officials.

"Is Anthony N. Brady the third largest stockholder in the Journal company?" asked James W. Osborne, counsel to the committee.

Mr. Barnes declined to answer, and Mr. Osborne directed that a telegram be sent to Mr. Brady summoning him to appear before the committee to-morrow.

**OSBORNE WILL FIND OUT IF IT'S LIFE'S LAST ACT.**

"I am going to find out who owns the stock of the Albany Journal. If it is the last act of my life," said Mr. Osborne, who declared that it had already been shown that Mr. Brady was a considerable holder of stock in the Albany Argus Company, which had had business dealings with the Journal.

Mr. Barnes refused to answer questions as to whether he had taken any steps to have the Journal Company reformed the 15 per cent. commission paid to him by the Argus Company.

"I believe I have the right to know," said Mr. Osborne, "whether this money was going into his pockets. I showed to-day that he accepts that situation by his silence."

Mr. Barnes said he owned no stock of the Municipal Gas Company or the United Traction Company, but was a stockholder of the James H. Lyon Company of Albany. He declined to say how he acquired this stock.

In reply to a question from Senator Wainwright, Mr. Barnes said the Lyon Company was paid \$150,000 by the county of Albany in the past ten years for printing without public bidding.

**BARNES ORDERED TO PRODUCE HIS BOOKS.**

"This printing situation," said Mr. Osborne, "is like a melon cut up among a certain number of people, and Mr. Barnes is in on the melon."

"Did you pay anything for your stock in the Lyon Company?" Mr. Barnes was asked. "I decline to answer that question," he replied.

"I guess you don't know Mr. Lyon," Mr. Osborne showed that the Legislature printing contract for 1890-1891 was awarded to John A. McCarthy on Oct. 19, 1890, and on the same day was assigned to the Lyon Company, with the approval of the State authorities.

Mr. Barnes admitted that he acquired his Lyon stock after the transfer was made, but denied that he talked with the State officers regarding the transfer.

John H. Lindsey, secretary and treasurer of the Journal Company, after declaring flatly that he would refuse to produce the Journal's books, was served with a subpoena on the stand ordering him to produce them to-morrow. A similar subpoena was served on Mr. Barnes.

Mr. Lindsey offered a letter which he had received from Mr. Barnes as president of the Journal Company, and which was made part of the proceedings, directing the witness to refuse to furnish the Journal Company's books on the ground that by so doing private business would be revealed and their advertising rates, etc., might be copied and turned over to their competitors. Bills for public printing, it stated, were on the way to the proper officials and might be obtained easily.

**RESPONSIBLE FOR CONTROL OF NEWSPAPER.**  
"Do you control the editorial policy of the Albany Journal?" was the first question put to Mr. Barnes when he resumed the stand to-day.  
"I'm responsible," he replied, "but

## Larry Doyle, the Hero To-Day, His Double Won for Giants.



Larry Doyle and his bat won for the Giants to-day. The Giants' leader bombarded the Athletics' pitchers for a total of four hits. Batting like a house afire, he amassed half of the hits made off Coombs. His hitting for the day amounted to a total of six bases. Two doubles and two singles was the damage this doughty player inflicted on the Athletics.

It was Doyle who began the hair-raising tenth inning. After Coombs had been batted out of the box Doyle was the first of the Giants to face Eddie Plank. His effort was a sublime two-bagger to left field. An attempted sacrifice put him on third base. On Merkle's long fly he raced home with the deciding run, accompanied by twenty-five thousand derisive yells from Giant rooters. It was a grand day at the bat for Larry.

## HAVE THE GIANT ROOTERS QUIT? IT SURE SEEMS SO

### Great Bleacher Throng, Once Riotous, To-Day Watches the Game in Silence.

### BY IRVIN S. COBB.

POLO GROUNDS, NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—It seems there was an Irishman named McGraw—I believe this is the proper method of beginning an anecdote of this character. To resume, therefore: It seems there was an Irishman named McGraw, John J. McGraw, and it seems, further, that about ten years ago an organization known as the American Baseball League was formed. A town called Philadelphia was included in this league. At that distant period it was customary for the comics to say many humorous things about this place Philadelphia. They referred to it as the "Silent City of the Dead," and said that if Rip Van Winkle had gone to sleep in Philadelphia instead of the Catskill Mountains he would have been sound asleep yet, instead of waking up at the end of twenty years. They said that the only way an automobile could avoid breaking the speed limit in Philadelphia was to run backward. Mr. McGraw was one of those who did like and jest.

Recalling that Philadelphia already had one baseball team, to wit, a National League team, Mr. McGraw was moved to say that another team would be a "white elephant."

This remark was not strictly original, but it seemed applicable and in those days it passed for a merry and a

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## GIANTS SNATCH GAME OUT OF FIRE WITH GREAT BATTING RALLY

### "Doc" Crandall Ties Score in Ninth With Two-Bagger and Doyle Doubles and Scores the Run in Tenth.

### MARQUARD AND AMES BOTH FORCED TO QUIT GAME

### Athletics Look Winners Up to Ninth After Oldring's Homer Nets Three Runs in Third.

| GIANTS.            | R. | H. | P. | O. | A. | E. |
|--------------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| Devore, lf.....    | 0  | 1  | 3  | 0  | 0  |    |
| Doyle, 2b.....     | 1  | 4  | 3  | 4  | 1  |    |
| Snodgrass, cf..... | 0  | 0  | 2  | 0  | 0  |    |
| Murray, rf.....    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |    |
| Merkle, 1b.....    | 1  | 0  | 12 | 0  | 0  |    |
| Herzog, 3b.....    | 0  | 1  | 1  | 2  | 0  |    |
| Fletcher, ss.....  | 1  | 1  | 4  | 3  | 1  |    |
| Meyers, c.....     | 0  | 1  | 5  | 3  | 0  |    |
| Marquard, p.....   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |    |
| Ames, p.....       | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |    |
| Crandall, p.....   | 1  | 1  | 0  | 2  | 0  |    |
| *Becker.....       | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  |    |
| Totals.....        | 4  | 9  | 30 | 14 | 2  |    |

\*Becker batted for Marquard in the third.  
Strung run for Coombs.  
Two out when winning run was scored.

Umpires—Klein behind the bat; Dineen on bases; Brennan in right field; Connolly in left field.

**SCORE BY INNINGS.**  
ATHLETICS 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0 0—3  
GIANTS 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 1—4

Base hits—Off Marquard, 3; off Ames, 2; off Crandall, 2; off Coombs, 3. First base on errors—New York, 1; Philadelphia, 1. Left on bases—New York, 6; Philadelphia, 4. Struck out—By Marquard, 2; by Ames, 2; home run—Oldring. Two-base hits—Doyle (2), Fletcher, Crandall. Stolen bases—Herzog, Collins, Doyle, Devore. Sacrifice flies—Meyers, Merkle. Hit by pitcher—By Coombs, Merkle.

**BY BOZEMAN BULGER.**

POLO GROUNDS, Oct. 25.—By a score of 4 to 3 the Giants won the fifth game of the series from the Athletics this afternoon in the tenth inning of the most spectacular finish ever seen on a ball field. While Merkle put the winning punch over in the tenth with a long fly to Murphy, the real nerve wrecking fireworks were out loose in the ninth, when the Giants by a broadside of hits made two runs of the score.

After Herzog had gone out in that inning and thousands were leaving the stands, Fletcher smacked a long two-bagger into left. Meyers died on an easy fly, but old Dr. Crandall, who has been in the White House of the Giants all season, cracked a two-bagger into deep right centre that sent Fletcher home. That put the weight of the series and the chance of earning the big share of the purse upon the shoulders of little Josh Devore. He showed his iron nerve by slugging at the first ball pitched and driving Crandall home with the run that tied the score. The scenes in the stands are indescribable. Thousands of fans who had started away rushed back to their seats and there was still ten minutes of disorder. Devore finally retired the side by failing to steal second.

**DOYLE STARTED THE WALKING IN THE TENTH.**

The Athletics could do nothing in their half of the tenth, and then the Giants put over the wallop. Doyle, who had been batting like a demon all afternoon, opened up with a two-bagger. Snodgrass was safe on a bunt and Doyle slid safely into third.

Murray's fly was too short for a score, but Merkle drove a long fly to Murphy and Doyle scored. On this last fly Murphy was guilty of a stupid piece of work. The long fly would have gone foul and he should have let it go. Instead of doing that he lost his head and caught the ball. That made it easy for Doyle to score and he floated over the pan with the winning run.

In this game the Giants outbatted York rooters. Murray, Merkle and

**33,000 AT GAME, BUT PLAYERS DON'T BENEFIT AT ALL.**

The National Commission announced that the total attendance was 33,225 and the total receipts amounted to \$95,351. Of this the National Commission's share was \$6,935.20 and each club received \$22,225. No money went to the players because the game to-day was the fifth and it was stipulated that they should not receive any share of the proceeds of the game.

As the Giants took the field for batting practice preliminary to the game this afternoon a thrill of hope went down the spine of the thousand of New York.